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Didsbury Curling Club Elected Seventeen Skips.

Didsbury Has One of the
Largest Curling Club in
Alberta.

About thirty-five members of the
met at the curling rink on Monday
evening for the purpose of electing
their skip for the coming season.

Seventeen skips were elected,
which gives Didsbury the honor of
having one of the biggest
curling clubs in Alberta outside
the cities.

The following are the skips elect-
ed and the personnel of their rinks:

Weber, skip, Gooder, Hawkes,
Wrightson.

Sanderman, skip, Chambers, J.
Clarke, Nowak.

Studers, skip, Evans, Wordie,
Roscoe.

Sinclair skip, Fluery, Cressman,
Phillipson.

Pitt, skip, Shand, Ranton
Cathro

McCloy, skip, Teskey, Fookes,
Topley

McNaughton, skip, J. V. Berscht
Rev. Hays, Cuffling.

McGhee, skip, McCoy, Ken-
drick, Crossweller.

Kaufman, C. E. Reiber, M. Ford
Michael

Johnston, skip, Kirby, Wyman,
Noble.

Julien, skip, Leisemer, M. Hugst
H. Reiber

Fisher, skip, Lee, Morton,
Morton.

Edwards, skip, McFarquhar,
Eckle, Saunders

Dooley, skip, McRae, Gabel,
Klein

Dr. Clarke, skip, J. Hugst, R.
Berscht, Reeves.

Cook, skip, Frey, Halton, Ka-
wick.

Brusso, skip, Stilling, Robson,
Neufeldt.

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"The Store of Christmas Spirit"

LOCAL & GENERAL

Mr. Jake Walders is again back
on duty after a few weeks illness.

Miss Jean Russell spent the
week-end at Cochrane with friends.

Mrs. F. Kaufman was visitor to
Calgary Thursday last.

A Christmas entertainment will
be given at the Clovermount school
on Friday, Dec. 20.

Lewis Stone and Peggy Wood
in "Wonder of Women" at the
opera house, Saturday Dec. 14th.

A large number of turkeys have
been shipped by express from
Didsbury this year to the west
coast.

Mrs. A. McInnes left this week
for a visit with friends and relatives
at Ottawa over the Christmas hol-
idays.

Mrs. F. W. Leeson was called to
Vancouver on Saturday owing to
the death of her father, Mr. W.
Warren.

Buster Keaton in "Spite Mar-
riage" Wednesday Dec. 18th at the
opera house. This picture is a sure
cure for the gloomiest case of blues.

The last bazaar of the season
will be held by the ladies of St.
Cyprians' Church, in the Opera
House, Saturday, December, 14th,
from 2 to 6 p. m. Home cooking
and a good tea will be served.
There will also be a fish pond
and a contest guessing the weight
of a Christmas cake.

The ratepayers of the Municipal
District of Mountain View No. 310
take notice that a penalty of 5 per
cent is added after Dec. 16th to all
unpaid taxes as provided by the
Municipal District Act.

Yesterday afternoon a fire broke
out in the office and garage of Mr.
Sharp. Before the fire could get a
good hold the fire brigade arrived
on the scene and it was extinguish-
ed without much trouble. The
fire was caused by an over heated
stove.

A HOLIDAY TO REST UP

Last year the stores of Didsbury
and neighboring towns showed a dis-
position to regard the day after
Christmas as a holiday. This year
we are informed Didsbury plans to
do the same.

There seems to be good reason for
the observing of the 26th as a holi-
day. The bustle and excitement en-
tailed in the preparing for Christmas
extend over many weeks, and con-
tinues well into the night of Decem-
ber 24th. A tired country looks out
on the world Christmas morning; en-
ters probably half-hearted into the
celebrations of the day and presto,
before any recovery has been made
from the excitement of weeks, the
26th looms and everything is at an
end.

In most of the European countries
Christmas is observed from the 25th
until the 1st. In Great Britain Box-
ing Day gives the public an oppor-
tunity to extend its holiday another
day and in some measure helps to
overcome the preparations for the big
celebration of Christmas.

Most of us would be willing to
stand off five-day weeks and other in-
novations of Mr. Henry Ford, but
would gladly welcome a holiday on
the 26th of December.

COMING EVENTS.

Dec. 13, Hard time dance at Lone
Pine Hall, Seibertville
W. I.

" 14 St. Cyprians' bazaar and
sale of home cooking.

" 16, Annual meeting of the
U. F. A., in Berscht's Hall
at 2 p. m.

" 20, Clovermount Christmas
entertainment.

" 20, Mountain View Commu-
nity Xmas tree.

" 23, Westcott Xmas Tree.

" 31, New Year's eve dance at
the Opera House.

Zella School Bazaar

Is Big Success.

At the Sale of Work in aid of
Junior Red Cross, held at the
Zella School last Saturday, the
sum of \$141.70 was realized.

The people of Zella school dis-
trict wish to thank those of Dids-
bury and other districts who so
generously donated gifts which
helped so materially to make the
sale such a success.

Wheat Pool Notes.

The past year has been one of
marked progress for the Alberta
Wheat Pool. The annual report shows
an increase in membership during the
year of 5,819. Total membership at
October 31st, 1929, was 40,915, with
4,625,309 acres under contract.

The cost of operating the Alberta
Wheat Pool during the past year was
a little over half a cent a bushel, or
a total of \$349,068.89. The handling
of wheat totalled 67,444,356 bushels.

The delegates assembled at the an-
nual meeting expressed themselves as
opposed to a compulsory pool by an
overwhelming vote. A resolution was
passed making the objective of the
voluntary pool 100 per cent of the
grain growers of the province and
urging that every effort be made to
attain that desired end.

The report of the Central Selling
Agency showed the carryover from
the 1928 crop year to be a little over
48 million bushels of wheat. The
Canadian Pool handled 253,102,585
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DIDSBURY MARKETS.

WHEAT

No. 1 Northern	1.43
No. 2	1.10
No. 3	1.05
No. 4	1.01
No. 5	.91
No. 6	.76

OATS

No. 2 C. W.	.48
No. 3	.43
Extra No. 1 Feed	.48
No. 1 Feed	.41
No. 2	.39

RYE

No. 2	.72
No. 3	.67

BARLEY

No. 3	.45
No. 4	.40
No. 5	.37

BUTTERFAT

Table cream	.46
Special	.38
No. 1	.36
No. 2	.33

Masonic Lodge Elect Officers.

The following officers of the King-
Hiram Masonic Lodge were elect-
ed for 1930 at the meeting held on
Tuesday evening.

W. M. Bro. W. Leadbetter
S. W., Bro. E. Crigg
J. W., Bro. C. Adeshead
Treasurer, Bro. W. G. Evans
Secretary, Bro. H. Morgan
Tyler, Bro. S. Franklin.

W. Bro. Dr. Clarke was elected
representative to Grand Lodge
Benevolent Fund.

United Church Bazaar.

The bazaar held by the Ladies'
Aid of the United Church, held
last Saturday, proved to be one of
the most successful ever held by
that society.

The booths were well stocked
with fancy work and other articles
and everything found ready buyers.
The afternoon tea was also very well
patronised. The proceeds amount-
ed to \$380.

Tuxis Initiate New Members.

At the weekly meeting of the
Tuxis group, the following boys
were initiated: Alf Durrer, Ronald
McRae, Frank Carelton, Norvill
Honey, Charlie Geiger, George
Hawkes and Tom Roysds. The in-
itiating officers were: Ormond
Phillipson, pretor, Carelton Leeson
deputy pretor, Frank Riddle, script-
or, Frank Moyle, sponsor, and
Jack Boorman, mentor.

After the initiation ceremony the
boys were presented with their book
and Tuxis badges. A brief busi-
ness session followed, and then the
group adjourned to the church
basement where they played group
games.

The C. G. I. T. and the boys of
both groups are planning a Christ-
mas vesper service to be followed
by a social on Monday evening,
Dec. 23rd.

Ev. Church Prepare For Sacred Pageant.

Preparation for the annual
Christmas program in the Ev.
Church is well under way and
promises to be one of the finest
and most sacred programs of its
kind ever rendered here. In past
years the Ev. Church has merited
high praise for their sacred pro-
grams staged on Christmas and
other occasions. The one now in
preparation is entitled "The Lord
is come," and will be in the form
of a cantata-pageant. This is an
entirely new production and has
been rendered anywhere before.
Some fifty or sixty characters are
taking part.

THIS WEEK'S SPECIAL—

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Chemist and Druggist

Didsbury, Alberta

It must be better when
millions like it so.

"SALADA" TEA

'Fresh from the gardens'

Solving Canada's Economic Problems

A country possessed of the vast extent and great variety of natural resources which stretch east and west across Canada from sea to sea, and north and south from the international boundary line to the Pole, has a responsibility not only to its own people but to the world at large. The heritage with which nature has endowed the Canadian people is one of the richest, if indeed not the richest, on this globe. It consists of some of the greatest fisheries in the world, the greatest forests, the greatest water-powers, tens of millions of acres of the most fertile agricultural lands, while hidden below the surface and in the rocks lies what is now being recognized as probably the world's greatest store of mineral wealth—coal, iron, nickel, gold, silver, copper, zinc, tin, asbestos, and scores of other minerals required for the use of mankind.

Save, and except some of the more precious stones, and those things which are alone the product of tropical countries, Canada enjoys possession of practically everything needed to build up and maintain the great industries of this and future ages. Possession of such a storehouse of wealth imposes a great responsibility on this Dominion, but it also presents a great opportunity.

How are the Canadian people developing these enormous reservoirs of potential wealth? What are they doing with them? While the country was still young, sparsely settled, and the people comparatively poor, the trees of the forests were cut down and shipped abroad as logs, rough sawn lumber and pulpwood. But now Canada is the largest paper manufacturing country in the world, and the producer of much fine furniture.

For years Canada's great tonnage of nickel, copper and zinc ores was shipped to other lands to be refined and manufactured for use in industry; now huge refineries are being established in which these ores will be processed at home. While, owing to its enormous grain production, Canada is and will long continue to be a big exporter of wheat, this country has forged rapidly ahead in the industry of milling, sending the finest flour in ever increasing quantities into the markets of the world.

A similar story can be told of the development and use being made of other of our natural resources. There is this, however, to consider. Some of Canada's mineral wealth is of low grade, and much of its value results from the fact of its enormous quantity, as, for example, the lignite coal of the west. So, too, the large iron deposits of Ontario are difficult and expensive to work for commercial use. But are we, for these reasons, to neglect them and abandon the wealth they might bring to Canada, and lose the benefits which rightly developed they would confer upon the Dominion?

These very difficulties are a challenge to the people of Canada. They are a test as to our fitness to be entrusted with the heritage which is ours.

Up to the present time Canada has devoted too little attention to, and been too niggardly in its public expenditures, upon scientific research. Rather, as a people, we have been inclined to take the easier way and seek to protect our interests by artificial means, or been content to accept minor profits from the sale of raw products, rather than through scientific research and experimental expenditures find solutions to our problems and greater wealth for our country. Perhaps this was natural, even inevitable, in a young country. But that day is passed if Canada is to be true to itself.

The Dominion Government, the Ontario Government, several huge corporations, universities, and private individuals of wealth, are, in the aggregate, providing millions for research work; the most modern buildings and laboratories and the finest equipment are being provided. Already important results have been achieved. It is confidently believed that a type of resistant wheat has been developed, while the National Research Council has demonstrated where science is greater than tariffs and trade commissions when it comes to developing trade. An Ottawa despatch tells how it has re-established Canadian magnesite on the markets of the world.

Magnesite is used in furnaces or other places where great heat is required. It came originally from Austria, but the war gave Canada a chance and deposits in Quebec were developed. After the war Austria came back, deposits were found in California, and the United States tariff shut Canada out of that market. Canada lost the business. The owners of the Quebec mines appealed to Ottawa, and the Government, declining to impose tariff protection, turned the problem over to the National Research Council. The scientists of the Council developed new production methods and today Canadian magnesite has not only got its markets back but is beating the California product in the United States, where it commands a higher price now because of its better quality.

A similar story can be told about a Saskatchewan clay-working plant. It was steadily losing money. Then the Saskatchewan Government stepped in, and Professor Worcester, of the University of Saskatchewan, was assigned to the problem. He discovered a proper mixture of clays, with the result that the plant in question is now making money, has enlarged its buildings and added to its equipment, and is today supplying a large proportion of certain types of fire brick and locomotive arch tiles used in Western Canada but which formerly had to be imported from the United States.

Scientific research has great things in store for a country like Canada. It costs time and money to prosecute it intensively, but it will repay a hundredfold. The Canadian people should not regard it as a hobby, or a fad, but a sound business proposition, and be prepared to support their Governments and scientific bodies in largely extending the scope of such research.

Normal Period Of Married Life

Insurance Statisticians Have Worked Out Scale

Insurance statisticians, after months of research, have worked out to one decimal point the period which newly

married couples may expect to live together—leaving out the possibility of divorce, fast becoming a major factor.

It was announced recently that a man of 33 and a woman of 30 may expect to live together 27.3 years before death, in the normal course, separates them.

A woman's expectation of life at 30 is 38.3 years; that of a man at 35 is 33.4 years. This typical couple in 53.6 per cent. of cases, it is asserted, will live beyond the 27.3 average before one of them dies; in 7 per cent. of cases, both will be dead before that time; in 15.6 the wife will have died, and in 23.6 the husband will have died.

Editor—"There's only one thing keeps this from being a rattling good yarn."

Eager Author—"What's that?"

Editor—"It isn't."

Western Canada Fisheries

Opening Of H.B. Road Will Extend Fishing Grounds In the North

With the opening of the Hudson Bay Railway next year, new areas will be opened up in Northern Manitoba and Saskatchewan not only rich in minerals but in fish. There are numerous lakes and waterways adjacent to the new railway which will enable commercial fishing operations to be extended. Millions of pounds of fish are caught in the large inland lakes in Western Canada, much of which is shipped to Chicago and New York, as well as to markets in Canada. The principal fish in these lakes are whitefish, sturgeon, trout, pickerel and tuladi.

RADIANT GIRLHOOD

Comes Through Rich, Red Health-Giving Blood

A girl with a full-blooded body and vital nerves has the foundation of an active, healthy life. Allow her to grow wan and delicate and prolonged ill-health and general weakness may be the result. Many women who ought to be in the very prime of life are too frequently sufferers of headaches, back and side aches, easily tired and breathless, because of anaemia which stealthily attacked them in girlhood.

But fortunately there is a remedy within easy reach. Thousands of tired, worn-out women and delicate girls who have sought the self-help of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are grateful for the way in which these pills have restored them to robust fitness. This effective tonic and nerve restorer always helps to make plenty of rich, red blood that speedily puts an end to anaemia. A wan, delicate girl, or tired, weary woman soon becomes brighter when this new blood courses through the system. Color comes to her cheeks and lips; her appetite increases; her nerves are steadied, and the following is an example, from she becomes vital and active again, among thousands, of what these pills have done and can do: Miss C. J. Martin, Kitchener, Ont., says: "For several years I was greatly distressed with pains in the back and sick headaches. I felt tired all the time, I did not sleep well and had a poor appetite. I had been doctoring, but I did not get much relief. My sister advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and after taking six boxes I felt like a new person, and will not be without the pills again."

You can get the pills from your druggist, or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Navigation At Churchill

Port Open To Ocean Vessels Till Late In November

Ocean vessels would have no difficulty in using the port of Churchill until the latter part of November, according to J. U. Beauchemin, head of the party doing hydrographic survey work at Fort Churchill harbor and on Hudson Bay. There would doubtless be a little shore ice in the harbor in November, but he says that there would be no danger of a vessel becoming ice bound until late in the month.

Mr. Beauchemin and his party have just returned to Sydney from the Hudson Bay. It is not clear from his interview that he was including in his statement any reference to Hudson Strait. But he does contradict the report brought down from Hudson Strait by the airmen on the Untin Bowler, which was wrecked up there, that the government steamer Acadia, which carried the hydrographic survey, was stuck in the ice for seven days. The vessel remained in the ice only for 30 hours, he says, and it did so purposely for the study of ice conditions, while it could have moved out of the ice field at any time.

It is easy to exaggerate the difficulties of the northern route. There are some difficulties and the best modern methods of meeting them will be used. If, as is quite possible, the Hudson Strait is navigable well into November, then this route will be in quite as good a position to handle the western grain crop in the fall of the year as is the route by the Great Lakes. The port of Montreal usually closes before the end of November and it takes the grain much longer to get to Montreal than to Churchill.

Traffic on the Hudson Bay route will begin in a modest way and with the overcoming of the various difficulties a great expansion of traffic and a great future for the route may be expected.—Free Press.

Use Minard's Liniment in the Stables.

Chilblains & Frost-Bite

As a remedy for those most troublesome of winter skin afflictions, chilblains and "frost-bites," Zam-Buk is speedily effective. It takes out inflammation and reduces swelling in a wonderful way and soothes the fiery tingling irritation.

Where the chilblains are broken and have a raw ulcerated surface, Zam-Buk is doubly valuable because of its great healing power. Its pain-killing efficiency and its fine antiseptic properties place Zam-Buk far above ordinary ointments.

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SOOTHES & HEALS

Flying Interests Royalty

Prince and His Brothers Are Keen About Aviation

The fact that the Prince of Wales has appointed a regular air pilot among his retinue draws renewed attention to the remarkable keenness shown by the Prince for flying. It is some years since he went for his first flight, but ever since that memorable occasion he has exhibited extreme air-mindedness.

Such attention has been given to the air pilots of the Prince of Wales, however, that most people are unaware that one of his brothers has long been a fully-fledged pilot. The Duke of York is a group captain in the Royal Air Force, and, as such, understands the entire control of an aeroplane. He is also air aide-de-camp to his father, the King, says a writer in "The Daily Express," London, England.

The Duke of Gloucester made his first flight recently, while Prince George has flown on several occasions, although not in a small machine. He has made two cross-Channel trips in an Imperial Airways liner, travelling incognito and accompanied by an equeyry.

With all his sons "in the air," the King may yet consider taking a trip himself, but, one feels sure, there will always have to be a satisfactory settlement of two matters before this can take place. First, without a doubt he will be accompanied by the Queen, and second, he will fly only if his subjects are absolutely certain of the safety of the flight.

The weasel is a pure killer, destroying more animals than it can consume.

All over Canada farmers are coming to realize the great value of the birds to agriculture.

Prospecting In the West

Large Number Of Claims Staked and Recorded During Past Year

Some idea of the amount of prospecting being done in Manitoba and northern Saskatchewan may be obtained from the number of claims staked and recorded during the past year. In 1928 there were 7,335 mineral claims recorded in The Pas mining district, 1,400 in the Cold Lake district, and 2,118 in the Winnipeg district. There are at present over 20,000 mineral claims recorded in Manitoba and northern Saskatchewan.

Pains Around Heart Weak Spells Would Fall Over

Mrs. James Vanalstine, Pibroch, Man., writes:—"I had pains around my heart, and suffered with weak, smothering spells. Sometimes I would fall over and would have to be picked up and put to bed."



and it is now over three years since I have had a spell.

"I hope anyone who is in the same condition I was will give H. & N. Pills a fair trial."

Price, 50c. a box at all druggists and dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

"Haven't we met before?"

"Well, you seem familiar."

The pole star is always directly over the North Pole.

Needless Pain!

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And do not think that Aspirin is only good for headaches, sore throats, and colds! Read the proven directions for relieving neuralgia, neuritic, rheumatic, and other aches and pains. Remembering, of course, that the quick comfort from these tablets is not a cure; for any continued pain, see a doctor.

Purchase genuine Aspirin. Protect yourself by looking for that name. Always the same. Always safe. Never hurts the heart.

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COUGHING take
BUCKLEY'S
MIXTURE

Acts like a
Flash

A SINGLE SIP PROVES IT

W. N. U. 1813

Unusual Historic Interest Is Attached To The Main Water Routes Of Northern Canada

Practically speaking all the main water routes of Canada have been travelled for a century or more. The veil that for so long obscured the movements of the early travellers and traders is being slowly lifted by modern surveyors and with the progress of organized mapping methods almost limitless lands of scenic beauty, rich in resources, are revealing themselves with the stage all set for an era which will be theirs, the area of northern development.

In the new Pelican Narrows map, Provisional Edition, National Topographic Series, embracing 5,500 square miles on a scale of four miles to the inch, presently released from the presses of the Topographical Survey, Department of the Interior, at Ottawa, another segment of their surprising inheritance is brought to the notice of Canadians.

This map is featured by the Churchill River, with the famous trade route, 261 miles long, from The Pas by Sturgeonweir River to the Churchill, over Frog Portage, cutting the southern portion in two. The Reindeer River, which is the canoe route leading to Reindeer Lake, divides the northern half.

As long ago as 1776, Joseph Frobisher, of Montreal, Northwest Company fur trader, discovered the Sturgeonweir River route from Cumberland past Pelican Narrows to Frog Portage on the Churchill, which has remained ever since the main waterway leading to the northern interior and the great Mackenzie Basin.

Frobisher was so successful in his first year's trading that he was unable to carry away all the furs he acquired. In 1776, Alexander Henry, the elder, and the Frobisher brothers built a post at this point, and that year obtained 12,000 beaver skins from the Indians "besides large numbers of other and marten."

Peter Pond, also from Montreal, followed Frobisher's route to Frog Portage in 1778, and eventually reached Lake Athabasca. His map of 1785, said to have been made for the Empress of Russia, is the first one that shows the Churchill from its source to its mouth.

After Pond came those distinguished forerunners of the surveyors of today, Philip Turner, surveyor for the Hudson's Bay Company, in charge of a survey party with Malcolm Ross as his assistant surveyed the Sturgeonweir River up to Pelican Narrows, and on to Frog Portage in 1791, and from thence made a track survey of the Churchill to its source. His report is in the head office of the company in London. His sketch map was incorporated in Arrowsmith's map of North America.

David Thompson, greatest surveyor of them all, travelled the country embraced in the Pelican Narrows sheet in 1796, and surveyed the portion of the Churchill thence to the mouth of the Reindeer River, and the Reindeer itself to Reindeer Lake, which lies off the map to the north. Below the junction of the Reindeer and Churchill the Indians report the remains of an old trading post, supposed to be the Fairford House built by Thompson.

Another famous explorer-surveyor, Peter Fidler, between 1807 and 1809, repeated Thompson's survey of the Reindeer and the portion of the Churchill in the newly-mapped area.

For nearly seventy years afterwards, until the late Dr. Robert Bell reported on it, the Upper Churchill was ignored by geographers. With the issue of the Lac la Ronge, Pelican Narrows and Kiasissing map sheets

by the Topographical Survey, 144 years after Peter Pond's first crude map, this portion of the river is completely and accurately mapped for the first time.

Today, as in the old days, when travellers were almost wholly dependent upon it, the fishing never fails. Sturgeon, whitefish, lake trout, pickerel and pike plentifully populate the bewildering waterways of connecting lakes and rivers.

And still the furs pour down the amphibian way from the Arctic to the Saskatchewan with the Pelican Narrows "fur garden," as Malcolm McLeod called it, adding its quota by the way. Romance has not departed from the region, even though the light "northern canoes" of birch bark guided by electric-eyed Iroquois have been replaced by the cedar or canvas canoe of the modern surveyor, prospector and fur trader.

During the migrations from the breeding grounds near Hudson Bay the innumerable lakes swarm with geese and ducks. Pelicans and cormorants breed in the tract, nesting in great numbers on small rocky islets.

Across from Frog Portage a solitary settler raises grain and vegetables. Here he has constructed a primitive grist mill, the second one on the Churchill, the other having been burnt over half a century ago at Stanley, located as shown on the Lac la Ronge map sheet.

About the time that Warren Hastings began piecing the East Indian Empire together, in the same year that saw the battle of Bunker Hill, and while Captain Cook was opening the way for British colonies in the Southern Seas, the Pelican Narrows country was traversed by Frobisher. Such as it was then it remains today, except that the wandering Indians have been more or less segregated on their several Indian Reserves on Pelican, Wood and Minard Lakes and around the Pelican Narrows post of the Hudson's Bay Company, where is one of the largest settlements east of Athabasca. At this point, too, there is a Royal Canadian Mounted Police barracks.

A good deal of water has flowed down the Hudson Bay in the century and a half, and on its tide many millions of dollars' worth of furs. Wild, as it looks, studded with lakes and threaded with greater and lesser streams, yet this 5,500 square miles of territory has contributed its share to the commerce of the country. Minerals, timber and fishing resources are yet untouched and so are the water powers, with the exception of those at Island Falls now being developed.

Demand For Silver Fox

Has Become Most Popular Fur The World Over

What is the most popular fur among the world's women folk? According to Canadian breeders it is the silver fox, for the demand has risen by phenomenal leaps and bounds. A statement has been issued by the Canadian Silver Fox Breeders' Association to the effect that last year no fewer than 58,000 foxes belonging to its 6,000 members were inspected in all parts of the Dominion. The industry is now declared to be so well established that it is not very much affected by booms or depressions and is solidly based upon a steady market for Canada's furs the wide world over. Fox farming is therefore becoming one of the most popular and profitable of the minor industries in the Dominion. Live foxes raised on Prince Edward Island farms sold last year at prices ranging from \$60 to \$300 per pair, those from families with exceptionally high pelt records fetching of course, much more.

Only One He Knew

A teacher had been telling an infants' class about the ten commandments. In order to test their memories she asked: "Can any one give me a commandment containing only four words?"

A hand was raised immediately. "Well?" said the teacher. "Keep off the grass," said the youngster.

An elephant's trunk contains 40,000 muscles.



(By Annabelle Worthington)

A black crepe satin that follows the Princess lines with molded bodice and full flaring hem.

It employs the two surfaces of the crepe for trimming contrast.

The dull surface is used for the entire dress with the exception of applied bands and trimming pieces stitched to bands at left side, which are made of the shiny surface.

Style No. 3002 designed in sizes 16, 18 years, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust is easily made in about two hours. The outlay is very small, and it's a dress that will meet everyday requirements gracefully for the woman of moderate budget. It's a splendid choice. Don't hesitate!

In feather-weight woolen in self-checked pattern in plum shade, it is a Paris favorite. It shows clever manipulation of fabric with the bands cut on the bias, repeated in trimming pieces.

Printed velvet with the bands made of plain velvet in predominating tone of print is very effective.

Plain sheer velvet in black with metal cloth bands in beige shade is exquisite for afternoons.

Faille silk crepe, flat rayon crepe in tweed pattern, crepe de chine, canton crepe, and Kashmir jersey attractive selections. Pattern price 25 cents.

Province Wide Campaign Is Conducted In Manitoba For Promotion Of Oral Hygiene

Mouth health is a matter of romance. Evidence of this fact is contained in a public health report, just issued, which departs from the customary stereotyped phraseology to reveal a thrilling story.

Report of the Manitoba Mouth Health Campaign, issued by the Canadian Dental Hygiene Council is, in brief, a synopsis of a province-wide drive for the promotion of oral hygiene. An effort, organized, primarily, by the council issuing the report, it developed into co-operative campaign under the supervision of the Manitoba Dental Association, and under the auspices of the provincial departments of health and education, with the assistance of the Red Cross, and the active aid of practically every public welfare body throughout the length and breadth of Manitoba which from Emerson to The Pas was zoned.

Local committees appointed, and the dentists of the province gave their skill, time and whole-hearted enthusiasm to the task. The examinations were individual, each child getting a chart, a list of personal suggestions and professional advice gratis.

In a manner of speaking, this service was a paradoxical one. Its purpose was to eliminate in the rising generation, the dental ill-health prevalent in this one, to the treating and remedying of which, naturally, these same men devote their careers.

But the romance comes largely from one special aspect of the affair. In the sparsely-settled sections of the north were many children far beyond the services of a regular dentist. To these, of course, knowledge of the principles of oral hygiene so that they might forestall unhealthy conditions was of extreme importance. But there was the further question of treating existing cases badly in need of it and not only too far from the ordinary professional aid but also, very often, without the financial means to secure it if it were available.

For these,—most of them new Canadians from lands where dental hygiene received scant attention—a free travelling clinic was put into operation and over 1,200 children received treatment.

The dentist in charge, Dr. Frank Livingstone, describes his trip to these scattered communities in a series of vignettes which are, of themselves, not only a fine piece of writing but also a striking picture of the modern Canadian pioneer.

He tells of his arrival in a tiny Icelandic community where a boarding house parlor is to be his operating room.

"School children, literally vanloads of them from the surrounding country," he says, "A swift examination, then a question or two, a slow injection of anaesthetic. This is the first experience of dentistry for any of

these children, and one must be careful not to startle them. A brief dismissal and the next one. A cavity is cut out and the filling placed. Time now to extract for the first one. A few words of encouragement and explanation. A few seconds' swift work. Then, 'Hurt?' 'No.' 'Fine. Good stuff in you, boy,' and confidence has been established. A satisfied child is away to show the place where an old offender has been, and explain his sensations to admiring mates.

"A cold winter morning and the mixed train has deposited dentist and equipment at yet another town. Here we set up office in the kitchen of a newly-built Women's Institute and Nursing Service Cottage. The children are waiting from the country, brought in in little cutters with houses built on them, complete even to a small warming stove. This is a fish shipping district and the people are wise in the ways of winter travel.

"Evenings spent in the dispensary," he says of another stop, "where the thin walls mock the huge log-burning stove, and where one needs must wear over-shoes indoors to keep the bodily heat in. Talks of travel and books and cases."

The travelling clinic reaches an outpost hospital.

"Another service station for humanity. A place of hope, the centre of community life and a haven working in the tremendous mass of foreign born surrounding it. A place where children came in hundreds, walking miles through blinding snow, by team, by train, in groups shepherded by district mothers and nurses. Came, and came, and came, seeking relief and hurrying away to find a little sister or brother.

"Cases! Six-year-olds with abscesses draining through the neck. Thanks be for ether and the resident physician. Chewing on nerves that had suffered so long they had grown out of the tooth and hardened themselves with a tissue coat to stand the shock of manipulation. Teeth twisted and turned and appearing in almost all places in the mouth and all stages of decay. Cases!"

At another town, the dentist pulled in at midnight to find the school teacher waiting for him.

"An extra sized toboggan was produced and the kit piled on it. Many were the laughs we had later of that pull through the snow in the pitch dark. To this day, he persists that one of us was going north and the other south inside the rope that would have done credit as a hawser for an ocean liner. This time, a log cabin to work in with a bedroom as a waiting room.

"And Saturday night. Two other cases on the dining room table," he notes of another small community, "and the generous assistance of the mother next door. Later when the little patients were chirping round again and away to bed, a game of cards on the same table. Such are the contrasts of life."

On Sunday, a Ruthenian father and mother called with a little tot of five, one of the worst cases on the entire itinerary.

"Again the ether bottle appears," says the dentist, "and while the father hovers fearfully in the next room, despite words of encouragement, the case is cleared up. Soon the little one is explaining in a foreign tongue, all her sensations to her relieved parents."

A side trip in a worn motor had its own excitement. "We came the last few miles on the rim with the dentist part time on the running board to keep the old car balanced and out of the ditch. Never did a warm stove look better at the five a.m. journey's end.

"And for a fitting climax to the trip was the last ride through a fair imitation of a blizzard over trails and ice-covered muskeg."

These picturesque incidents, picked at random from the report, show why it is stated, in the introduction, that "a campaign of this type must be a vital contributing factor in nation-building."

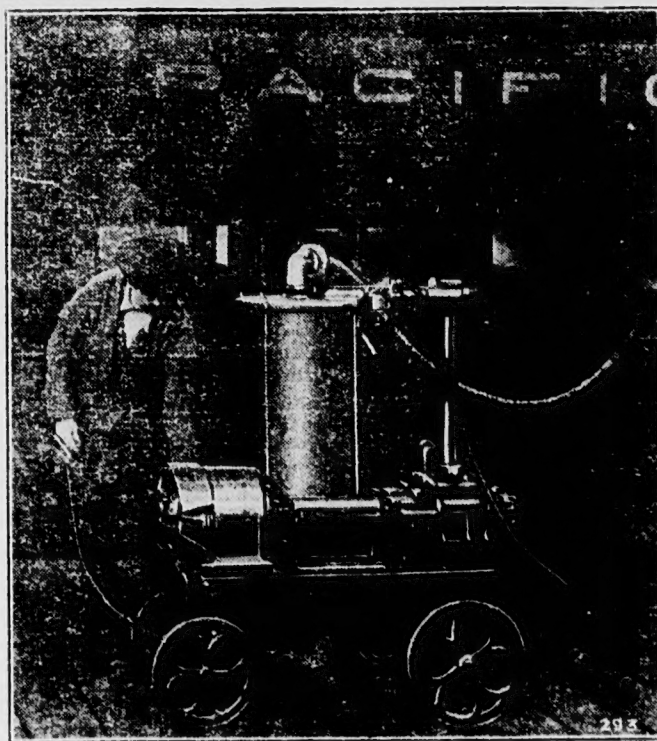
Some of the canoes built by the first race of Hawaiians could carry 50 men.

The earth's sensible atmosphere extends upward for about 100 miles.



IN THE THEATRE:
"Is he really killing him?"
"No, he only pretends to do so."
"Then, why have we paid to come in?"—Hummel, Hamburg.

W. N. U. 1813



Spring Cleaning All Year

One of the fleet of vacuum trucks used by the Canadian Pacific Railway to help maintain the standard of cleanliness demanded for all its services. After each run, every square inch of carpet and upholstery is thoroughly cleaned, all movable portions, such as seats being taken out and treated by air. An army of cleaners are maintained at all terminals.

BEST ATTAINABLE IMAGE
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Didsbury Pioneer

Established 1908.

DIDSBURY - ALBERTA
Published every Thursday.

Subscription Rates: \$2.00 per year, \$1.00 six months; 50 cents extra to Great Britain and the United States. Payable in advance.

Legal, government, and municipal advertising, 16 cents per line first insertion and 12 cents per line (unchanged) each subsequent insertion. Local readers ten cents per line.

Classified Advertising: For Sale, Articles Wanted, Lost, Stolen, or Strayed, etc., 10 cents a line first insertion, (count six words to the line), and 5 cents a line each subsequent insertion (unchanged). Business Cards, special rate of \$1.00 per month (1 inch) or \$11.00 per year if paid in advance.

Notices under Coming Events, 10 cents per line first insertion, minimum 50 cents, 25 cents each subsequent insertion.

Card of Thanks (not exceeding six lines) 50 cents per insertion.

Obituary poetry 10 cents per line.

Transient advertisements to be paid for when ordered.

Display advertising rates on application at the office.

Changes of advertisements must reach the office not later than noon Tuesday to ensure insertion in the issue of that week.

E.J.C. GOODER, Editor & Manager.

THE GREAT WILDERNESS

The Peace River District in Alberta is playing a notable part in the education of our American cousins. Joseph Smith, of Wolf Creek, has duplicated the achievement of Herman Trelle and again the rest of the continent sees the wheat king enthroned in Canada's north.

About the time the wheat award was being announced in Chicago a lecturer over a Seattle station referred to the great wilderness of Central Canada, enlarging to speak of the many men who were lost in these wilds from time to time. The winning of this important award by a section of this country considerably north of the International boundary will do much to dissipate the wrong information that is being circulated and believed in the United States, from time to time.

It is well that those of our friends in the South as well as many in our own Eastern Canada should begin to realize the wonderful potentialities of the Great West. It is by no means a barren wilderness, where the inhabitants starve to death in the summer and enter eternity by the freezing route in winter.

ADVERTISING

Recall to mind the products in use in your home today; watch the magazines and newspapers and see for yourself how many of these are advertised, not once a month nor even once a week, but almost daily in some form or other. The manufacturers realize that in order to have their product an accepted fact by the consumer of today, it must be continually brought to his or her attention.

You may step into your corner grocery store and in some inconspicuous place see some product that you knew years ago, but which lack of advertising has relegated to a back place in your memory, to an out-of-the-way place on your grocer's shelves and to an unimportant consideration in business affairs of the manufacturer. When a product is no longer advertised it passes out of the consumer's life. The same applies to the merchant who thinks he is sufficiently well known to dispense with the need of advertising.

When the people of the United States will spend \$736,000,000 on newspaper advertising, as they did in 1928, one need hardly question the value of this means of drawing attention to one's business or product.

TOWN PLANNING

Many of the larger centres in the west are battling with the problem of town planning. In most cases the original plan was so far from perfect that a great deal of expense to say nothing of confusion is involved in a readjustment.

Smaller communities in this growing west might well remember this situation when they are confronted with probable expansion.

If, it is said, the plan for the rebuilding of London prepared by Sir Christopher Wren after the great fire had been adopted, London would now be one of the world's finest cities instead of a muddle such as now exists,

LOCAL & GENERAL

Only 10 more shopping days to Christmas.

Mr. Bill Teskey is home from Calgary visiting his parents.

Personal greeting cards. Exclusive but not expensive. Prices from \$1.50 per dozen and up.—Pioneer.

A Christmas Tree will be held on Friday, Dec. 20th. The Gore, Neapolis and Rosebud will participate.

On account of the cold weather the meeting of the W.I. which was announced for Dec. 18th has been postponed to the first Friday in January.

Rev. John H. Curtis, of Olds, will conduct the last service of the season in the Baptist Church at Westcott on Sunday Dec 15, at 7.45 p.m.

Rev. A. E. Hayes took the services at Innisfail United Church last Sunday, and made certain visits with Rev. Dr. Endicott during the week. This Sunday Mr. Hayes will be at Carstairs on account of the illness of Rev. Mr. Ing.

If the snow keeps coming as it has lately there should be no lack of moisture next spring, which will help a lot, as it is badly needed. This is some consolation even if the cold winter weather so early does put us to some inconvenience.

The non appearance of the Salvation Army Band at Ev. Church last Sunday evening, as expected, is accounted for by the excessive snow fall in Calgary. Their coming is still in anticipation for some future date.

The pulpit this Sunday both at Westcott and Knox Church will be occupied by Rev. Charles Endicott, associate secretary for missions for the United Church of Canada. Dr. Endicott is one of the outstanding speakers in Canada and the people of Didsbury should not miss the opportunity of listening to him.

and is costing millions to relieve without hope of successful remodelling on broad lines.

In many towns and cities property values have suffered because coal sheds, barns, warehouses and other bulky structures are allowed to be erected anywhere. Town planning, exercised on a broad scale, not only builds for future beauty, but for future appreciation of capital.

The Hotpoint TOASTER



\$6.20

EVERY home should have a Hotpoint Toaster . . . and it makes a particularly attractive Christmas gift. Toasts two slices of bread at one time . . . and turns them automatically when the sides are lowered.



CANADIAN GENERAL ELECTRIC CO. LIMITED

LOCAL DEALERS

F. Kaufman
Builder's Hardware

RED CROSS

Donations of clothing, especially for little children, will be gratefully received by the undersigned.

W. A. AUSTIN,
Secretary Red Cross Society

Ranton's Ltd.*The Christmas Store***A Glorious Array of Handkerchiefs**

Dozens of Different Ones to Choose From, in Christmas Boxes and Singles

Fancy Silk Handkerchiefs 10c. up.

Swiss Handkerchiefs 15c. up

Picture and colored handkerchiefs 5c.

Handkerchiefs in boxes, 25c. up

Gift Hand Bag at \$1.50 to \$7.00

French Beaded Handbags \$4.00 up

Children's Purses 50c.

Lingerie Christmas Gifts

Rayon Pyjama, snappy Colors \$3.50

Lace trimmed Gowns \$2.95 Rayon Slippers \$1.75 up

Rayon Bloomers, all shades, \$1.25

Rayon Blomers, fancy trim, \$1.75 and \$1.95

Rayon Slips \$2.95 Pettinicks \$2.50 up

Fancy Linens Always Acceptable
Kimonas, Tea Cloths, Bridge Sets, etc.
at Popular Prices

Silk Hose

Just Arrived for Christmas selling the Best Values in Silk Hose in Christmas Boxes. New Shades

Priced at \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$1.95

Gloves Will Be Appreciated

Gloves in Individual Boxes. French Kid, Silk and Chamoisette

Kid \$3 00 Silk \$1.50 Chamoisette 75c. up

Fancy Setts

Brush and Comb Sets or larger girls \$1.25 and \$1.50

Silk Hose Mending Sets 40c

Manicure Sets and Handkerchief Sets 85c.

Children' Manicure Sets 40c. Garter Sets 75c.

Pencil and Comb Sets, 50c.

Handkerchief and Powder Puff Sets, 75c.

FOR MEN

Ties in Xmas boxes 35c up

Arm bands in fancy boxes 35c up

Handkerchiefs in fancy boxes 45c up

Garter at 25c and 50c

Fancy Scarfs in Xmas boxes \$1.50 up

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Fancy socks in fancy boxes 50c up

Belts 25c up

Dress shirts \$1.95 up

Pyjamas \$1.95 up

Tobacco pouches 75c.

Cuff buttons 25c and 50c

Silk handkerchiefs 40c up

Dress Shirts \$1.95 up

Heavy jumbo sweaters \$3.95 and up

Fancy pullover sweaters \$3.00 up

Suspenders 75c. and \$1.00

Wool Gloves \$1.00 up

Boy's Sweaters, Jumbo and Fancy, \$2.00 up

Women's House Shoes

Colorful and serviceable Boudoir Slippers in felt, velvet & satin
Priced from \$1.00

Men's House Shoes, \$1.50 pair up

Meet Me at Ranton's. "Didsbury's Progressive Store"

Rosebud Flour Mills Co. Ltd.**Operating To Your Advantage**

If you knew what the mill to the district really means in dollars and how many pioneer difficulties have been overcome, it would be an eye opener to you. The mill is a part of your farm—apart of your business. It is the centre from which economic rays radiate. Look for them. Help us to help you find "acres of diamonds" in your own barnyard and at your doorstep.

Rosebud Flour Mills Co., Ltd.

A few pointed articles relating to the experiments in milling development will be given periodically.



LOW EXCURSION FARES

EASTERN CANADA

Tickets on sale daily

DEC. 1 to JAN. 5

From all stations in Manitoba (Winnipeg and West) Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Return limit 3 months

PACIFIC COAST

VICTORIA - VANCOUVER
NEW WESTMINSTER

Tickets on sale Dec. 1, and each Tuesday and Thursday, to February 6.

Return limit, April 15, 1930

CENTRAL STATES

Tickets on sale

DEC. 1 to JAN. 5

From all stations in Saskatchewan and Alberta

Return limit 3 months

THROUGH CARS AND THROUGH TRAINS

To Ship's side for December Sailings

The Ticket Agent will gladly quote fares and arrange your itinerary. Ask—

J. A. McGHEE, Agent, Didsbury, Alta.

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Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada
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King Hiram Lodge No. A.F. & A.M.
Meets every Tuesday evening on or before full moon. All visiting brethren welcome.
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Church Announcements

M.B.C. CHURCH

Rev. C. J. Hallman, Pastor.

Sunday Services:

1:30 p.m.—Sunday School.
2:45 p.m.—Preaching Services.
7:30 p.m.—Preaching Service, including Young People's meeting every alternate Sunday.
A Welcome Awaits You.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Church services second Sunday of each month, 11 a.m., Communion service. Rev. H. Clay in charge.
Every fourth Sunday, evening service at 7:30.

EVANGELICAL

Rev. H. E. Roppel, Pastor

Welcome to the Evangelical Church

Up-to-date in Methods.
Evangelistic in Spirit.
Methodist in Doctrine.
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship.
11:30 a.m. Sabbath School.
7:30 p.m. Evening Worship and Christian Endeavor
7:15 Wednesday, Jr. Leagues—C.E.
8:00 " Praise and Prayer Service.

UNITED CHURCH

Rev. A. E. Hayes, B.A., Minister.

Sunday, Dec. 8th.
Knox Sunday School 11 a.m.
Westcott: 2 p.m. Sunday School
2:30 p.m. Church Services
7:30 p.m. Knox Church, Didsbury.

RUGBY NOTES

The Rugby W. I. met at the home of Mrs. W. Swingle on Thursday, Dec. 5th. Sixteen members and two visitors were present.

The principal item on the afternoons program was the election of officers, and the results of the ballot were as follows: president Mrs. Farrant; vice-president Mrs. W. Swingle; secretary Mrs. Hosegood; directors Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. W. Swingle Mrs. Whiteside and Miss and Miss Hosegood. All officers were elected for two years. When this business was concluded, the National Anthem was sung. The gifts from the gift exchange were distributed among the members after which a jolly social half hour was spent over the teacups.

Ruby school Christmas concert will be on Monday, Dec. 23 in the evening.

The Cheer Up Club are putting on a dance at Rugby on January 10th, so remember the date. Good music.

Mountain View Notes

There will be a dance at the Community Hall on Wednesday, Dec. 18th. Mrs. Oliver's orchestra.

The annual meeting of the W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. M. E. Wood on Wednesday, Dec. 4th. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. H. Atkinson; treasurer, Mrs. J. Haynes; secretary, M. M. E. Woods. The three members who attended all of the twelve meetings during the year, Mrs. Ed Blain, Mrs. George Clarke and Mrs. W. Coates, were given a free membership for the next year. A cup was presented to Lyle Shultz. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ed. Barnes.

Marketing Day

December 13th

Turkeys, Ducks, Geese and Chickens
Wanted Alive or Dressed.

We Pay Cash. Highest Prices Paid.

Highest Cash Prices Paid for Hides.

City Meat Market

Phone 127

J. Kirby

\$75.00 Will Buy Your Xmas Presents

SPECIAL OFFER

Save \$75.00

This Reduction made to every person placing an order for the Delivery of a New Chev. Coach before Christmas. No Trade Ins.

ADSHEAD GARAGE - Didsbury

The label on your Pioneer tells when your subscription is due.



A Challenge to Canadian Food Producers . . .

Commissioners' Offices in Great Britain

LONDON:
Gordon Watson, Canadian Commissioner, Trafalgar Square, W. 1, London, England.

J. Forsyth Smith, Fruit Trade Commissioner, Walter House, Bedford Street, Strand, W.C. 2, London, England.

LIVERPOOL:
Harry A. Scott, Trade Commissioner, Century Buildings, 31 North John Street, Liverpool, England.

BRISTOL:
Douglas S. Cole, Sun Building, Clare Street, Bristol, England.

GLASGOW:
Gordon B. Johnson, 200 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Scotland.

GREAT BRITAIN wants more Canadian foodstuffs. The plain fact is that the increase in trade in some of our food exports to the old country is not keeping pace with the growth of demand.

Britain's markets are wide open to Canada. Because of the exhibitions of Canadian products, the activity of our Trade Commissioners, and the effects of our advertising, the British consumer is more familiar with these products than ever before, and consequently more inclined to buy. Good will in Great Britain towards Canadian products never has been at a higher point than now. All the facilities of transportation for all classes of products from Canada to Great Britain have been provided.

Shall we Canadians overlook or neglect the opportunities for increased export trade which are thus laid before us?

Just because domestic markets are good, shall we as producers be so short sighted as to fail to satisfy so large a market which is more favourably inclined towards our products than ever before?

Not yet is there among our producers an adequate realization of the opportunities for increased production which present conditions in the British markets afford.

If you are a producer or dealer in foodstuffs, you can assist to your own profit in gaining a larger share of this market. Almost every community in this country stands to benefit. The result can be attained by:

1. Producing more of the kind of products the British consumer wants.
2. Keeping up a constant supply.
3. Maintaining quality standards.

Through its Commercial Intelligence Service, this Department will render valuable assistance to any exporter. Our Trade Commissioners' Offices in Britain are especially well-equipped and strategically placed to handle any export problem on behalf of Canadian exporters. Enquiries regarding British Trade receive prompt attention. Write to the Commercial Intelligence Service, Ottawa.

THE DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND COMMERCE

HON. JAMES MALCOLM,
Minister

OTTAWA

F. C. T. O'HARA,
Deputy Minister



WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Dr. Isal Sylvestre, said to be the oldest practicing physician in Canada, died at his home in Sorel, Quebec, at the age of 83. He has been practicing medicine since 1867.

The trip to the British West Indies of their Excellencies, the Governor-General and Lady Willingdon, while designed primarily as a rest and holiday, assumes also the aspect of a good-will journey.

Miss May Thornley, one of the best known temperance workers in Canada, is dead at the age of 71. She had been several times president of the Dominion Women's Christian Temperance Union.

The French government has sent its official acceptance to the invitation of the British government to participate in the five-power naval conference opening in London on January 21.

Leaders of the New Turkey have commenced to start observance of the Sabbath on the Christian Sunday instead of Friday, thus severing another of the ties which bind that nation to the Moslem world.

Honoring Dr. Augusta Stowe Gullen, the first woman to graduate in medicine from a Canadian University, the Medical Alumnae of the University of Toronto and other women physicians have had a portrait painted of her.

Long Standing Asthma. Many have suffered so long from asthma and have tried so many so-called remedies that they think there is no real help for them. They should read the letters received by the manufacturers of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy from hundreds of cases once as desperate as their own. Even in long-neglected cases this famous preparation brings prompt help.

Meaning Of Totem Poles

Used By Indians As Monument Of Important Events

Boy Scouts and Girl Guides use the word totem without, perhaps, quite realizing its origin and meaning. Totem poles are used by many native tribes in various parts of the world as monuments of important events and tombstones of the dead. To the Alaskan Indians, however, the totem pole stands for the animal ancestor from whom he believes his tribe is descended, and it is connected with all his religious and social beliefs.

Persian Balm is the one true family aid for skin health and beauty. Aids the mother in additional loveliness. Protects the tender skin of the child. Delights the father as a hair fixative or cooling shaving lotion. No matter to what use it is put, it is always beneficial to the skin. Every woman should use it. Persian Balm cools and caresses the skin and creates complexions of surpassing loveliness.

Substitute For Tunnel

A vast double dam across the English Channel between Deal, England, and Calais, France, carrying two railway tracks, an automobile road and providing a ship canal, has been suggested by Jules Jaeger, Swiss engineer, as a substitute for the proposed underground channel tunnel.

HEADACHE RELIEVED QUICKLY

CARTER'S LIVER PILLS This Purely Vegetable Pill quickly corrects the digestive disturbances, removes the intestinal poisons, and sick headache quickly disappears. Your whole system enjoys a tonic effect, constipation vanishes, and you feel a renewed vigor. Avoid bromides and dope, they are depressing and harmful. All Druggists 25c and 75c red pkgs.

W. N. U. 1813

Big Mineral Discovery

Deposit Of Copper and Nickel Ore Attracting Attention To Saskatchewan

The whisper of a great discovery has gone out all across the Canadian west, and the representatives of mining organizations large and small are endeavoring to ascertain the spot in northern Saskatchewan where the Dominion Explorers, Ltd., are reported to have made what appears to be the mineral discovery of the current year.

Members of the Dominion Explorers Organization have been brought in from different areas and have been flying away in one fixed direction, and the indications are the discoverers will have themselves all fortified in regard to holdings in the new district before rival claim-stakers may appear.

Dominion Explorers being a Lindley organization, has had the experience of dealing with big mineral deposits. Sherritt-Gordon has been a case in point where the mineral bearing fractures extend possibly two to three miles in length. In regard to the new discovery in northern Saskatchewan, while officials have remained reticent, yet the size of the organization has rendered it difficult to prevent a certain amount of detail filtering out. Outstanding features now definitely known are the big width of the deposit and the particularly great length—the surface being a close duplicate of Sherritt-Gordon—with the exception that whereas Sherritt-Gordon is copper and zinc, the deposit located by Dominion Explorers is copper and nickel.

Samples of the ore from the new discovery have been examined. These samples having been taken from surface where gossan lies heavy and where work has not yet reached entirely below the leached zone are extremely impressive and something which would justify the discoverers in rounding out for themselves a holding of at least 15 to 20 square miles.

The Power Of Softness

Snow Bank Would Stop Bullet Which Would Penetrate Solid Substance

A bank of snow six feet thick will stop a bullet shot at the distance of fifty yards. The bullet will not penetrate that downy bank of snow, but it will go through the solid embankment when fired at three times the distance. The bullet shatters the steel, penetrates the solid bank; but the soft feathery snow has a way all its own, and it takes in that murderous lead and loves it, and, as it were, soothes it.

Wonderful For Indigestion!

When your stomach feels bad; when Gas, Sourness, Nausea or after-eating pains make you feel miserable—a single dose of pure Bismarck-Magnesia will bring almost instant relief. For indigestion, the prompt effectiveness of BISMARCK-MAGNESIA is really wonderful. Even the most obstinate cases quickly respond. Pleasant and inexpensive to use. Ask your druggist.

May Have Started Something

Nebraska Fox Farmers Suing Airplane Company For Killing Foxes With Noise

Mail planes roared a few hundred feet over a Nebraska fox farm. Down below, scores of foxes covered in terror. Fifty-six of them died—and their owners are suing an aeroplane company for damages.

The outcome of the case will be watched with interest, because if the racket of airplanes kills foxes, and their owners can recover damages, there will be developments. Human beings are going to start collecting damages for nervous injuries caused by various modern noises.

Most of the noise caused by aeroplanes, and other things, is unnecessary. If it kills foxes, it must have a harmful effect on the health of citizens, who are, after all, almost as valuable. We are not "picking on" the aeroplane in particular; it is no worse than a dozen other noise-makers.

Some time or other, civilization must tackle the noise problem—and solve it. Just now seems as good a time as any to start.—Vancouver Sun.

If love is blind, jealousy is an eye-opener.

Minard's Liniment relieves...

PEPS



Wheat Pool's Operations

Now Controls 55 Per Cent. Of the Grain In Western Canada

Although in operation for a period of only five years, the Canadian Wheat Pool controls 55 per cent. of the crop grown in the prairie provinces of Canada—Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

It owns and operates 1,435 country elevators out of a total of 5,042 in the prairie provinces and, in addition, owns a large percentage of the large terminal elevators at Fort William, Port Arthur, Vancouver, Prince Rupert and other points. The Pool has taken a leading part in helping to open up markets for Canadian grain in China and Japan and other countries, and has placed its handlings in over 60 different ports in Europe.

BABY'S OWN TABLETS A HELP TO MOTHERS

There is no other medicine of as great a help to young mothers as Baby's Own Tablets. These Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which regulate the bowels; sweeten the stomach; correct constipation and indigestion; break up colds and simple fevers and make the cutting of teeth painless.

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Vision Was Prophetic

Ancient Greek Scientist Foretold Facts Now Known About Atom

Harry B. Smith, in Scribner's: The greyhound imagination of the Greeks pictured the atom, the ultimate particle of matter, smaller than anything that human eye can see. Almost 300 years ago, the greyhound imagination of Pascal saw a vision of what was within the atom:

"Consider the last least object (the atom) at which he (the scientist) can arrive. Perhaps he will think that it is the limit of littleness in Nature. But I will show him within this a new abyss. I will paint for him not only the visible universe, but all the immensity of Nature that one can conceive within the bounds of this epitome of an atom. He may see an infinity of universes, each with its firmament, its planets, its earth, in the same proportions as in the visible world."

In the light of the revelations of the last 25 years, Pascal's vision is indeed remarkable. Overdrawn though it undoubtedly is in some respects, there is more than a germ of truth within it, and the last phrase in particular is strikingly prophetic.

We know today the proton and the electron and how in the hydrogen atom the latter revolves about the ponderable former, very much as a planet about the sun. We know, too, that the heavier elements are composed of atoms having a nucleus made up of protons and electrons, while outer electrons in orbits like planets and comets revolve about this massive centre.

Today the greyhound imagination of a Rutherford is leaping the barrier of the complex atomic nucleus, while the picks and spades and battering rams of his associates are opening for us a breach into the very citadel of the atom. Here we are dealing with the limit of smallness to which the human mind has attained.

Old Age and Unemployment

American Workers Dyeing Their Hair In Order To Hold Jobs

Growing fear of losing their jobs because of appearing old has become such an obsession with American workers that they are even taking to dyeing their hair when the first streak of gray appears. Governor Roosevelt's commission on old age security was told at Rochester.

"Women are afraid to dress fittingly and maturely, for fear they will be considered old and lose their jobs," said one witness.

"Is it true that men are laid off when they reach fifty?"

"Not every one. If he is financially interested or has reached an executive position, he may stay on. But the average worker, day or piece work, is on the toboggan at fifty. He may be in his prime, physically and mentally, but the young executive who employs him does not think so."

Corns disappear when treated with Holloway's Corn Remover without leaving a scar.

Christmas Seals This Year Are Christmas Bells

Send Them Out At This Season To Ring In Every Home

Ring out, wild bells, to the wild sky, The flying cloud, the frosty night.

Christmas seals paid for seventeen free clinics this year in Manitoba, and more.

Ring out old shapes of foul disease, Ring in the nobler modes of life.

In 17 clinics 2,104 "contacts" and "suspects," more than half of them children, were examined. 240 tuberculous were found, 142 for the first time, and many other disease conditions.

Ring out the grief that saps the mind For those that here we see no more.

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Caruso In Death

Friends Of Famous Singer Will Change Clothing On Embalmed Body Every Three Years

His public will see an immaculate Caruso even in death.

The famous singer's friends have decided to open his casket every three years and change the clothing, keeping his remains constantly dressed in the latest fashions as long as the embalming maintains the perfect state of the body.

The plan was revealed in Paris by Tito Chlipa, noted tenor.

Ever since his death, in 1921, the body of Caruso has rested in a crypt in Canessa tomb so that visitors may view it through the covering of the casket.

Requisite On the Farm.—Every farmer and stock-raiser should keep a supply of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil on hand, not only as a ready remedy for ills in the family, but because it is a horse and cattle medicine of great potency. As a substitute for sweet oil for horses and cattle affected by colic it far surpasses anything that can be administered.

New Airplane Propeller

Development of a reversible airplane propeller, tending to prevent nosing over in landing and said to eliminate the ground loop menace, has been announced by the Richfield Oil Company. The new propeller weighs 30 pounds more than one of the standard type.

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The Singing Fool

By HUBERT DAIL

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SYNOPSIS

Al Stone, singing waiter at Blackie Joe's New York night club, is loved by Grace Farrel, the cigarette girl, but he doesn't know it. He marries Molly Winton, a ballad singer, and wins fame as a composer of popular songs. When their baby, Junior, is about two years old, Molly elopes with John Perry, Al's best friend. She and Perry take the child Al adores and sail for France. Al, completely broken by the loss, disappears from Broadway and becomes a delinquent. One day Grace Farrel sees him on the street, but he runs away. Grace starts a search for him, which ends in failure. But the image of Grace remains vividly in Al's mind.

CHAPTER XXIII.

Something of Al's old generous spirit toward Grace returned as he thought of her. How concerned her expression had been yesterday as she stared at him from across the street. Yet his feeling toward her was not strong enough to overcome the resistance of his desire to separate himself from the old life.

In spite of all that, however, the memory of her face remained in his mind. Perhaps it was this memory that brought him up sharply about three o'clock one morning before a house that seemed strangely familiar. Surely he knew these outside steps and that entrance. It was Blackie Joe's place.

Slowly, scarcely knowing what he was doing, Al mounted the shabby stairs toward the little gleam of light he saw at the top. Yes, he was sure of the place now; an intense longing possessed him to see the inside of the old familiar place where he had won his earliest triumphs. Only a few years had passed since those happy-go-lucky nights, but the time seemed like a century.

He stopped before the heavy, bolted door. It was a new door, much stronger than the one Al had known. The many raids of the prohibition agents had forced Blackie to take additional precautions; his place was better guarded now.

Al knocked against the panel set high in the door and presently it opened. A strange face gazed at him, and the eyes became more suspicious every moment, as their owner looked him up and down, noting his dilapidated clothes.

"Is Blackie Joe here?"

"Who wants to know?" asked the guard curtly.

"I do. I know him."

There was a pause, then: "G'wan, beat it! He's got no time for the likes of you!"

The panel closed with a slam. Al, nodding listlessly, began to descend the stairs. He shrugged his shoulders—it didn't matter.

Inside, Blackie had been standing fairly near the door. "Who wants me?" he called, after the aperture was closed.

"Oh, just some bum," said the doorkeeper scornfully.

Blackie nodded and turned to look over his dance floor. But as he did so there was a faint stir of curiosity in his mind. A bum—well, what did the bum want?

He walked over to the door and pulled open the panel. At the foot of the stairs, clearly silhouetted against the light, he saw a familiar face.

At first Blackie did not recognize the figure at the foot of the night club stairs as Al Stone, his old singing waiter. But the familiarity of the profile was striking enough to make Blackie throw open the door and call, "Hey—you!"

At that, Al turned, so that his face was illuminated by the light at the head of the stairs. Now Blackie was sure—he came rushing down the stairs to wring Al's hand.

"Hello there, kid!" Blackie almost shouted in his delight. "We've been wondering where you were. And to think—I almost let you get away!"

Al stared into the face of his former boss, smiling faintly. It seemed as if Blackie would never relinquish that vigorous grip on his hand. A thrill of pleasure shot through Al—it was good to see someone at last who was really glad to see him, who beamed on him in the most friendly way imaginable. That hadn't happened to Al for months. He glanced away to hide his embarrassment at his shabby appearance.

Then Blackie linked his strong arm within Al's and led the young songwriter up the stairs, talking as he went.

"You know, Al, this is a big moment for us all. I want you to come in and meet the performers—some of them you know. And Grace is still with us—you remember her."

Al nodded, but said nothing. Blackie saw he was dealing with a man who was not only bewildered, but had definitely lost his gift for carrying on in the battle of life. The arm inside Al's coat sleeve was limp.

As they stepped inside the doorkeeper stared in amazement to see his well-dressed employer walking arm-in-arm with this bum. What on earth did it mean?

It was well on toward daylight and

only a few customers remained in the main dining-and-dancing room.

"Come back to my office," suggested Blackie. "We'll have a good talk."

But Al stopped, scanning the familiar room as if he expected to find the ghosts of his former triumphs there. His eyes took on the look of concentration that is habitual with men who try to escape the world and commune only with themselves. He forgot that Blackie was standing beside him, looking solicitously into his face. . . . Yes, there was the table where Molly and Marcus and the others sat on the night he sang "Always" to Molly. There was the old door leading to the bar. The floor show had ended, but the orchestra was playing and a few couples were dancing.

"Come," repeated Blackie, and Al followed him toward the private office.

They sat down, facing each other. "Have a cigar, have a drink?" suggested the night club owner, but Al shook his head. Then Blackie began again:

"Now, boy, I wish you'd tell me all about it. What happened to you—where have you been hiding out all these months?"

"Oh, here and there—just wandering about," Al replied noncommittally.

"Yes, I know that. But do you know that Marcus has been after you? And a couple of song publishers have been paging you all over town."

"Yes, I know it, came the strangely passive answer. "I'm not interested in all that. I told Marcus I was through and I meant it. I really don't know why I came here tonight—just happened to look up and saw your entrance. Couldn't stay away from the old place forever, I s'pose."

A hopeless feeling stole over Blackie. This was just the shell of the old Al; Blackie felt how strong that apparently listless resistance of his would be to any come-back. Nevertheless, he leaned forward and said earnestly.

"Al, you don't have to tell me how you feel—I know. It may seem strange to you, but I was knocked out once myself, in the same way, by a woman. For a while I thought there was no use living; then the day came when someone gave me a good stiff talking to. I decided to fight my way up again, and I did. I decided I wouldn't let one blow put me down for the count!"

"Blackie, the reformer," murmured Al. An expression somewhere between a smile and a sneer curved the corners of his mouth.

Blackie leaned back in his chair, hurt, but determined not to show it. In the old days Al could never have made a sardonic and bitter rejoinder like that.

"Do you still love Molly?" Blackie asked incredulously.

"No!" The sharp denial was the first show of life Al had shown. Blackie nodded in approval. Then Al seemed to think that some further explanation was needed. "She did for me and first I had to clean her out of my mind. I did that—then I tried to write. But I found I couldn't get interested. It was no use."

Just then a waiter stuck his head in the door and told Blackie a customer wanted to speak to him. Blackie rose.

"Excuse me a minute, Al. Make yourself at home—I'll be right back." (To Be Continued.)

Workers Helped By Science

Ore Detector Located New Body and Furnished Work For Discharged Miners

The practical ways in which science helps working people is demonstrated again in England. A lead mine in Derbyshire had "petered out." Two young schoolmasters invented an ore detector, just about the time a hundred miners had been discharged. With the detector they located a new lead-ore body, 1,000 feet under the surface. They figured it was worth about \$250,000. The mine owners, having faith in science, put the miners back to work again, located the ore body through a tunnel and now the mine is working full blast. Politicians continually promise miracles to help working folk. Science performs the miracles.—Vancouver Sun.

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Long Lived War Leaders

Four Who Bore Heavy Burdens Have Become Octogenarians

For months before his death Stresemann was a man broken in health, anxiously watched by relatives, friends and physicians, kept to a rigid diet, sent to bed early—he was an invalid, indeed, ere he had reached his fiftieth birthday. Hindenburg, on the other hand, celebrated his eighty-second birthday, which fell on the day before Stresemann died, by going on a hunting trip, which was cut short by the Minister's death.

Ten years of peace killed Gustav Stresemann; three wars—one the most terrible in history, in which he was the supreme leader on one side—have proved insufficient to lay Paul von Hindenburg low. Can it be that we have heard far too much about the terrors of war, far too little about those of peace? It would seem so—at least in so far as the longevity of war leaders is concerned.

Today, fifteen years after the outbreak of the World War, and eleven years since its close, there are four men who can proudly boast that, despite having borne heavy burdens of leadership between 1914 and 1918, they have nevertheless become octogenarians. Hindenburg is one—of the others, two are military men, Joffre and Mackensen—and the other a civilian who was at the head of his country's war-time government at a time of acute crisis—Georges Clemenceau.

Certain morbid conditions must exist in the stomach and intestines to encourage worms, and they will exist as long as these morbid conditions permit them to. To be rid of them and spare the child suffering, use Miller's Worm Powders. They will correct the digestive irregularities by destroying the worms, conditions favorable to worms will disappear, and the child will have no more suffering from that cause.

Using Steam From Volcano

Steam issuing from fissures in the earth near the main crater of Mount Etna will be used this winter to supply the central heating plant of the volcanological observatory on the higher slopes of the mountain, Professor Gaetano Ponte, director of the Etna observatory, said.

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"Thou also shalt seek strength."—Nahum iii. 11.

We ask not that our path be always bright. But for Thine aid to walk therein aright.

That Thou, Lord, through all its devious way Wilt give us strength sufficient to our day.

For this we pray.

—William Burleigh.

If thou look to thyself, thou shalt be able of thyself to accomplish nothing. But if thou trust in the Lord, strength shall be given thee from Heaven, and the world and the flesh shall be made subject to thy command.—Thomas A. Kempis.

Should we feel at times disheartened and discouraged, a confiding thought, a simple movement of the heart towards God, will renew our powers. Whatever He may demand of us, He will give us at the moment the strength and courage that we need.—Fenelon.

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WHAT OTHER EDITORS ARE SAYING

CREDULOUS GIVERS

We are a very credulous people, as is shown by the hordes of agents who for the last few weeks have been combing the town. These agents represent, in most cases, worthy causes, which bear the stamp of legality.

But who amongst us takes the trouble to investigate. These people bear certain credentials. They say they represent this and that cause. If the individual approached has sympathy with the causes, or in some cases if he is busy and wants to be definitely rid of the canvasser, he digs down. The agent pockets the money graciously and disappears. And where does he and the money go?

Possibly in some central city agency we might be able to find records of our giving to this and that enterprise. But who has ever taken the trouble to pursue the fate of his donation?

In the case of magazine agents, we do discover in the course of a few weeks, whether or not we have been stung. Entirely too often, we find that we have. But in the matter of these other causes, we give blindly. And all too often we can be lured into giving money for lepers in the South Seas, or some such abstract cause, while we ignore completely some really practical need at our very door.

This is not intended as a knocking of the various far off worthy enterprises which solicit through the towns so much as a closer checking up of the alleged representatives.

—Vulcan Advocate.

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bushels of wheat during the 1928-29 crop year. Of this total 108,140,608 bushels were exported to 19 countries.

George McIvor, sales manager of the Canadian Wheat Pool, in his report to the delegates, stated that the Pool's operations during the past year had undoubtedly prevented serious market slumps, that the wheat yield in the world for the 1928 crop was a record for all time and British grain merchants were of the opinion that wheat should be selling on the basis of 90 cents at Winnipeg.

Director J. Jesse Strang submitted a report recommending that the Pool do not go into the flour milling business. A resolution was carried suggesting that the flour milling committee continue its investigations and that the matter be tabled until the Pool had completed its elevator building program.

The feeling of the delegates' meeting was that in view of the short crop this year the Pool should operate as economically as possible, but that the efficiency of the organization should not be impaired through false economy. The Alberta Wheat Pool operates at a less expense than the Department of Militia and Defence at Ottawa.

Objection was taken by some of the delegates to the Pool publishing crop reports. Officials of the central organization stated that the publishing of these reports was not a permanent policy.

All the board of directors of the Alberta Wheat Pool were re-elected and at a subsequent meeting they re-elected Dr. H. W. Wood as chairman for the ensuing year.

The delegates' meeting went on record as favoring continuation of the elevator building program in order to give as far as possible elevator service to the bulk of the membership.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been presented to the Council of the Town of Didsbury under the provisions of the Early Closing Act, praying for the passing of the following closing by-law.

1. The expression of "shop" in the By-Law shall mean and include any premises or place where retail trade is carried on and shall also include the premises or place in which a barber or place in which a barber or other artisan carries on his trade, but the expression "shop" shall not include any premises or place where any of the following businesses are carried on, namely:

Post Office, sale of medicines and medicinal and surgical appliances, sale of refreshments for consumption on the premises, the sale of tobacco or other smokers' requisites, confectionery, garages, feed barns, C.P.R. local offices, and blacksmith shops.

2. No "Shop" shall be kept open for business in the Town of Didsbury nor shall any business be conducted therein after 1 o'clock p.m., on all Wednesdays from the 1st day of January to the 30th of November, both days inclusive in any year.

Provided that this section shall not apply to any week in which a legal holiday is observed.

3. In the case of a shop wherein several trades or businesses are carried on to any one of which this by-law does not apply, such shop may be kept open after the closing hour mentioned in Clause 2 hereof for the purpose of those trades and businesses only to which this by-law does not apply, and any shop so remaining open shall expose in a prominent place on the front door and in a front window a card not less than two feet square on which there shall be printed in English in type not less than one inch high, the following words only: "This shop is closed by law except for the sale of (here detail exempted merchandise)".

4. Any person violating any of the provisions of this By-Law shall be liable on summary conviction to the penalties imposed by the Early Closing Act.

Notice is hereby further given that objections to the petition presented to the Council praying for the passing of such By-Law on the ground that such petition

is insufficiently signed or otherwise affecting the validity or sufficiency thereof must be filed with the Secretary-Treasurer, on or before the 29th day of December, 1929, and that if no such objections are filed before the said date the

Council will forthwith proceed to pass the said Closing By-Law.

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